

Senator moves to amend the delete-everything amendment (SCS2373A-3) to S.F. No. 2373 as follows:

Page 37, line 16, delete "BREAK LAWS" and insert "LABOR AND INDUSTRY - MISCELLANEOUS"

Page 38, after line 15, insert:

"Sec. 6. MISCLASSIFICATION FRAUD IMPACT REPORT.

(a) Every two years, the commissioners of revenue, employment and economic development, and labor and industry must coordinate to conduct an analysis of the costs of misclassification to illustrate how misclassification impacts misclassified workers, government programs, and tax collections.

(b) By January 15 of every odd-numbered year, beginning January 15, 2027, the commissioner of labor and industry must report on the analysis performed under paragraph (a) to the chairs and ranking minority members of the legislative committees with jurisdiction over taxes, workforce, and labor. The commissioner of labor and industry may contract with external experts or an independent third party to conduct a study, develop a report, and perform other functions.

(c) At a minimum, the study and report must provide:

(1) an estimate of the number of workers experiencing misclassification in Minnesota;

(2) an estimate of the cost of misclassification to impacted workers;

(3) an estimate of the prevalence of misclassification by industry; and

(4) an estimate of the impact to:

(i) the unemployment insurance trust fund;

(ii) the family and medical benefit insurance account;

(iii) state income tax collection;

(iv) the workers' compensation fund; and

(v) the workforce development fund.

(d) Data and information relevant to the required report elements in paragraph (c) must be provided to the commissioner of labor and industry for purposes of the study and report, including, but not limited to, the following:

- 2.1 (1) from the Department of Employment and Economic Development, information and
2.2 data relevant to:
- 2.3 (i) the unemployment insurance trust fund;
2.4 (ii) the family and medical benefit insurance account;
2.5 (iii) unemployment insurance program audits and findings; and
2.6 (iv) the workforce development fund;
- 2.7 (2) from the Department of Revenue, information and data relevant to:
- 2.8 (i) misclassification tax audits and findings;
2.9 (ii) income tax collection; and
2.10 (iii) 1099 filings; and
- 2.11 (3) from the Department of Labor and Industry, information and data relevant to:
- 2.12 (i) misclassification complaints, investigations, and findings; and
2.13 (ii) the workers' compensation fund."